

SAYS ARCHITECT BURNS IS ALIVE

Brother Cables that His Relative Did Not Die on Ocean Liner, but Is Living in London.

WIFE INSISTS MAN SHE BURIED WAS HER HUSBAND.

Accuses Brother-in-Law William of Having £700 of Her Money in His Possession—Ship's Doctor Silent.

In the astral body of Patrick Burns, just known architect of London, walking through the streets of that city, sipping his brandy and soda at the fashionable clubs of which he was a member and passing the time of day with his brother, William Ignatius Burns, while the Patrick Burns in the flesh was buried in the Hudson County Catholic cemetery in Hoboken?

Mrs. Patrick Burns, who arrived here last Tuesday on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, says that the man who died en route was the only Patrick Burns of any prominence in London, that he was the architect of that name and brother of William Ignatius. William Ignatius Burns called yesterday from London that his brother was not dead, that he was well and alive in London and that the story of his death was all a myth. Certain it is that a man answering the description of Burns died on the Kaiser last Sunday and was attended by the ship's doctor.

Ship's Doctor Positive.

Mrs. Patrick Burns has looked herself in her room at Nassau Hotel, Hoboken, to-day, and refused to see any one or say anything about the mystery which overhangs the name of Patrick Burns, architect, of London. The mystery was engendered when a cable arrived from England saying that Patrick Burns, architect, was alive and well.

Dr. Katerbau, the ship's doctor, attended the man who died on board, and his report shows that the death was due to apoplexy. Dr. Katerbau refuses to say anything about the case to-day, but when seen yesterday said: "I know that the dead man was Patrick Burns, of London. He was married to this woman. I shall not say anything further than that, because it is a matter which does not concern the newspapers."

Dr. Katerbau refused to say to-day whether he knew Patrick Burns personally or could identify him. The Rev. Father Charles Kelly, pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Grace, officiated at the funeral services yesterday. The body was buried in the Hudson County Catholic Church at the express direction of Mrs. Burns, who had made all the plans and provisions for the funeral according to the Catholic rites. Mrs. Burns told the pastor no more than that the man had been her husband, that he was a Catholic, and that she wanted the ceremony performed by him.

Brother-in-Law Sends Cable.

The possibility that there might be another Patrick Burns of fame and note in London is scouted by Mrs. Burns. "He is the only Patrick Burns of any prominence," she said. "He is the son of a well-known railroad contractor, and was a partner in business with his brother, William Ignatius."

Then producing a certified copy of her marriage, which shows the registration of May 1, she continued: "Because my husband was ill we left England and his brother who has my different sort of man from my husband, accompanied us to Dover. He suggested that we travel under the name of Henry and that he intended to do so for the life of me think why he wanted us to do that. Then he said we ought not to take much money with us and I gave him £700 which I had. He also said in his possession some property of my husband."

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Franklin Simon & Co.

Important Sale of Boys' Apparel.

SATURDAY, MAY 21st.

SAILOR AND RUSSIAN BLOUSE SUITS, of white and colored imported washable linens and cottons, 3 to 12 years, heretofore \$3.00 to \$5.75. **1.75**

ENGLISH STRAW and MIDDY HATS, heretofore \$2.00 to \$3.50. **95c**

PAJAMAS, of white and colored madras and mercerized cottons, 4 to 16 years, heretofore \$1.75. **95c**

STAR NEGLIGEE SHIRTS and BLOUSES, 6 to 20 years, real value, \$1.35. **75c**

BOYS' SEPARATE RUSSIAN BLOUSE WAISTS, of Tan, Linen, white and colored Madras, 4 to 8 years; heretofore \$1.00 to \$1.35. **50c**

Boys' Clothing.

Large reductions in prices in a number of styles of Suits, Top coats and Reefers; 3 to 16 years.

Exceptional Values.

FIFTH AVE., 37th and 38th Sts.

JUMPED FROM ANSONIA WINDOW

Mrs. E. S. Stedman, Widow of the Millionaire and Related to the Poet-Banker, Was Delirious at the Time.

PAINFULLY INJURED, BUT IS RECOVERING.

She Has Been Ill Since the Death of Her Husband, and the Fall, It Was Thought at First, Might Prove Fatal.

Mrs. E. S. Stedman, widow of George E. Stedman, millionaire dry goods merchant, is recovering from severe injuries she received by jumping from a window in her apartments in the Ansonia Hotel, Broadway, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, while delirious.

While Mrs. Stedman was injured a week ago yesterday no record of the accident has been made public by the police of the West Sixty-eighth Street Station.

According to the first report Mrs. Stedman is still suffering from concussion of the brain, a bruised and lacerated face and body and a fractured limb. The manager of the hotel, however, who was talked with to-day by a reporter for The Evening World, said that Mrs. Stedman is not seriously injured.

"She is on the road to recovery," the manager said.

Every effort has been made to keep secret the affair. On Thursday night last residents across the street heard a piercing shriek, and upon investigation they found a black clad figure huddled in the middle wing of the big hotel building. The woman was moaning, though unconscious. An open window in the front apartments on the second floor indicated whence the woman had fallen.

The woman was identified as Mrs. Stedman. It was impossible to lift her over the fence and she was taken into the hotel through the windows in the office of Dr. Harvey D. Allen, a dentist. She was attended by Dr. J. P. Thornley, whose office adjoins that of Dr. Allen's. At first it was thought that Mrs. Stedman's injuries would prove fatal. She rallied, however, and it is said now that she will recover.

It is said that since the death of her husband Mrs. Stedman has been ill and at the time she jumped was delirious. Her daughter, Miss Daisy Stedman, is a beautiful young woman. She is a cousin of the poet-banker, Edmund Clarence Stedman, and there is a report that her engagement to a Yale graduate who has won distinction as an athlete is soon to be announced, but this Miss Stedman denies.

Goldsmith's Inspiration.

(From the Chicago Journal.) "I see," said David Garrick, "that there is a movement on foot to abbreviate the skirt."

"Yes," said Oliver Goldsmith. "Man wants but little here below, nor wants that little long."

"That very night he wrote 'The Hermit' with those lines as a nucleus."

Easy Way to Cure Catarrh

Breathe Hyomel and Kill All Catarrhal Germs. "Money Back if It Fails." Say Hegeman & Co., 200 Broadway.

There is no dangerous stomach drugging when using Hyomel. The healing and aromatic balsams which compose this wonderful treatment are breathed through a neat pocket inhaler that comes with every \$1 outfit.

Such remarkable results have followed the use of Hyomel by the best people in New York that Hegeman & Co. have the greatest confidence in its power to cure catarrh. They believe in it so thoroughly that they give their personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure, the purchaser to be sole judge.

W. L. DOUGLAS

UNION MADE. **\$3.50 SHOES** BEST IN THE WORLD. **\$10,000** will be paid to anyone who can prove that W. L. Douglas does not make and sell more men's \$3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world. **REWARD**

The Douglas styles for Spring are not equalled by any other line at any price.

The reason W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are worn by more men in all stations of life than any other make, is, they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe.

2,473,464 Pairs of Fine Shoes were made and sold by W. L. Douglas in 1903.

"For the past five years I have worn the Douglas \$3.50 shoe exclusively. It has given me better wear and more comfort than any other shoe. I formerly paid \$5 and \$6 for all my shoes. I consider the Douglas shoe the best shoe I have ever worn." J. M. BRINKERHOFF, of J. P. Brinkerhoff & Sons.

W. L. Douglas High Grade Boys' Shoes, \$2.00 and \$1.75.

W. L. Douglas uses Corona Coltskin in his \$3.50 shoes. Corona Colt is conceded everywhere to be the finest Patent Leather yet produced.

Fast Color Eyelets will not wear brassy.

W. L. Douglas has the largest men's \$3.50 Shoe Mail Order Business in the world. No matter where you live, Douglas shoes are within your reach. 25 cents extra prepaid delivery. Write for Illustrated Catalog of Spring Styles.

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SIXTH AVE. 19th TO 20th STREETS

Another great sale of men's suits at \$10.

OUR ten dollar suit sales have stretched over a period twice as long as we anticipated, but that's because they have gained an international reputation and the leading manufacturers of the United States are coming to us daily for relief. Backward season and surplus stocks required radical methods and it's those unlooked for business exigencies that make these unparalleled values possible. **Second Floor.**

Hand made suits \$10.

TO the critical buyer and the smart dresser there's a wealth of meaning in offering "hand made suits at \$10," for it means regular \$15, \$18 and \$20 suits, because that's the least a hand made suit can be sold for regularly.

We've made a cut of one of these suits so you can see the swell style swing they have, and you'll realize that they are not the ordinary factory made creations that show their origin in the cut and general workmanship.

The beauty of these suits is that they are made from fine worsteds and fancy silk mixtures identical with the fabrics the swell tailors are showing, and that's just why smart dressers will not hesitate to buy these suits. There's a custom made individuality about them that you will instantly recognize.

We've just 700 of these suits at \$10

Don't expect to sell them all Saturday, but first choice is the best, and you'll wonder how they can be sold for \$10; but remember they are not \$10 suits, but regular \$15, \$18 and \$20 suits.

Handsome effects in fancy silk mixed worsteds, fancy chevrons, mixed cassimeres, Oswego blue

serges, black tibets, fancy homespun, made and trimmed as good as your tailor could make them. Sizes to fit every build; to-morrow at \$10.

\$10

Young men's suits at \$7.50.

WE'VE only 150 of these suits, they were made for young men of exacting style ideas, cut in the very latest style, all light colored fabrics, sizes 15 to 20 years; exceptional value at \$7.50

Men's regular \$2 to \$3 vests to-morrow at \$1

THEY are bona-fide values—no halfway business about it, either. Not \$2 and \$3 vests just because we think so, but because you cannot buy their equal elsewhere for less than \$2 and \$3—because they are actual \$2 and \$3 vests, and the real value is so apparent that you'll voluntarily say so. **Second Floor.**

First we thought we'd just put them out as a great bargain surprise for clothing buyers, because the mere announcement—\$2 and \$3 vests for \$1—will create a positive sensation, but then we thought such good values were too good to withhold from the general public. Don't you think so, too?

Well, we've made arrangements to take care of the largest crowd we've ever had in our clothing section, some 25 extra salespeople, and we'll need them too, for even if we did not advertise a sale like this the good bargain news would travel like "wildfire" and before the day was out we'd have a crowd.

Come early—that's our candid advice.

These vests are cut in the single and double breasted styles—strictly man tailored—the fabrics are the kind now so fashionable—fancy mixed, self figured, striped, broken plaid, open mesh and plain white—sizes 34 to 46. At **\$1**

Misses' \$16.75 suits at \$9.75, and such charming creations

THIS great Saturday sale affords every mother an opportunity to realize a substantial saving on her daughter's attire—an opportunity to select at unusually low prices from New York's foremost showing of ultra-fashionable apparel for misses and girls.

This handsome \$16.75 suit at \$9.75 is a striking example of the importance of this occasion, but it is only one of the almost innumerable values, among which you are sure to find a favorite—a greater bargain than anywhere else in New York.

\$9.75 for misses' \$16.75 plaited coat suit of all wool fancy light weight mixtures, well tailored, new model, sizes 14 and 16.

\$7.50 for junior suits of champagne colored linen, collarless box coat, belt at back, trimmed with washable braids, full side plaited skirt, 12, 14 and 16 years.

\$5.75 for misses' \$7.50 skirts in Sicilian and Panama cloth, one-inch plaid, faced with cloth, perfect hanging; blue, brown and black.

\$7.50 for misses' \$9.75 taffeta silk blouse coats, plaited back and front, trimmed with silk braid, full crushed belt, fancy puff sleeve, 14 and 16.

\$3.95 for girls' \$5.75 jaunty box coats of chevrot, fly front, belt at back, nautical emblem on sleeve, sizes 6 to 14.

98c for girls' \$1.25 chambray and check gingham dresses, trimmed with pique and small pearl buttons.

800 pairs of women's \$3 kid Oxfords, \$2.

SATURDAY'S a great day for the selling of shoes, but we'll venture to say there is no other store in New York that will sell a fashionable kid Oxford the equal of this in style, fit and workmanship at \$2. It's a shoe that never sells for less than \$3. It's a shoe worthy to be worn by the smartest dresser and it's seldom you find a shoe like this that can be sold for less than \$3.

800 pairs—black vic kidskin—turn soles—A to E widths—sizes 2½ to 8—patent leather and kid tips or plain toe—shapely and handsome Oxford ties that are sought by those who dress correctly. **Second Floor.**

Don't lose sight of these other great bargains in our enlarged shoe department.

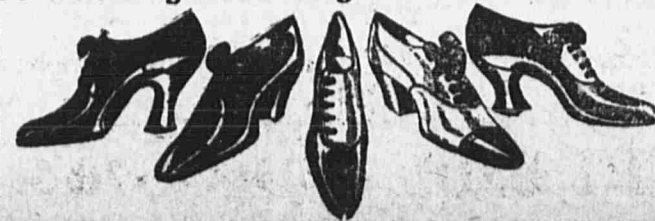
\$1.79 for boys' \$2.75 dress patent cloth shoes, welt sole, D and E widths—sizes 3 to 5½—the new stylish Duke toe.

\$2.95 for women's \$3.50 brown Russia Oxfords or patent cloth skin, welted soles, every size, widths A to D.

9c. for babies' \$1.25 first shoes, six bright colors, 0 to 4.

\$1.75 for women's \$3.50 slippers, full Louis XV. heel, patent leather; 4 strap dressy street and evening turn slippers, A to G widths.

\$1 for women's \$3.00 to \$5.00 shoes—d Oxfords, sizes broken very badly but value and styles as good as ever. 200 pairs. Saturday at the exceptional price of \$1.00. No mail orders.



Here's a brand new lot of those \$2 and \$1.50 shirts at \$1.10.

WHEN we announced this great three-day sale of \$5,400 worth of handsome, new style, new pattern negligee shirts we didn't look for such a tremendous demand—expected the original \$5,400 worth to suffice for three days. **Main Floor.**

Two days' selling proved that we were mistaken in our calculations, and but for a fortunate trade turn we could not offer this superb showing of

2,000 negligees at \$1.10

for Saturday. We wired the Hudson and the Eclipse companies of our predicament and they each sent 1,000 more for the final day's selling.

The Hudson Shirt Company Shirts in fine quality of woven madras cloths—all with narrow matched lap plaited fronts, fancy colorings comprising only the newest 1904 patterns, mixed colorings of gray, blues, maize, light browns and the popular shades of corn color—every one hand finished and strictly hand laundered—with separate cuffs—made **\$1.10** for and being sold to-day by the leading furnisners at \$2; special.

Pure white Shirts—made by the Eclipse Shirt Company, of Philadelphia, absolutely their best goods, made in various handsome styles, fronts plaited and hemstitched; every shirt bears either the maker's trademark, and in many cases the retail value (\$1.50) is woven in the labels—the white shirts are about equally divided between \$1.50 and \$2.00 grade; all hand laundered and hand finished—all sizes; special. **\$1.10**

All in all, this is the ideal opportunity for the smart dresser to secure his Summer's supply of these cool, neat negligee shirts. They are so desirable to wear when the days become so warm that a vest is uncomfortable.

